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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

MUHAMMAD CHISHTI et al.

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DEFORMATION OF GINGIVAL
TISSUE DURING
ORTHODONTIC TREATMENT

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RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 6, 2004, please enter the following remarks:

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